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Via Facsimile and Hand-Delivery

December 6, 2013

Mr. Dennis P. Walsh
Regional Director
NLRB Region 4
615 Chestnut Street
7th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19106-4404

Re: **Amazon Fulfillment Center Delaware**
New Castle County, DE


Dear Mr. Walsh:

Enclosed you will find an original and three (3) copies of a Petition for Representation, one (1) copy of the original signature cards, and an alphabetized list of the petition signers. The original documents are being hand-delivered to your office today.

It would be greatly appreciated if whoever is assigned to handle this case would contact **TOL Ed Kuss at (513) 768-2313** before arranging a conference or hearing, if one becomes necessary.

Sincerely,

James D. Smith
Grand Lodge Representative

JS/ 

Enclosure

cc: T.O.L., E. Kuss
D.B.R., D. Chmelko, DL 1
ORG., A. Powell, DL 1

FORM NLRB-502
(3-95)UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
PETITION

FORM EXEMPT UNDER 44 U.S.C. 3012

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Case No. 04-RC-118495
Date Filed 12/6/13

INSTRUCTIONS: Submit an original and 4 copies of this Petition to the NLRB Regional Office in the Region in which the employer concerned is located. If more space is required for any one item, attach additional sheets, numbering them accordingly.

The Petitioner alleges that the following circumstances exist and requests that the National Labor Relations Board proceed under its proper authority pursuant to Section 9 of the National Labor Relations Act.

1. PURPOSE OF THIS PETITION (If box RC, RM, or RD is checked and a charge under Section 8(b)(7) of the Act has been filed involving the Employer named herein, the statement following the description of the type of petition shall not be deemed made.) (Check One)
- ☒ RC-CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVE - A substantial number of employees wish to be represented for purposes of collective bargaining by Petitioner and Petitioner desires to be certified as representative of the employees.
- ☐ RM-REPRESENTATION (EMPLOYER PETITION) - One or more individuals or labor organizations have presented a claim to Petitioner to be recognized as the representative of employees of Petitioner.
- ☐ RD-DECERTIFICATION (REMOVAL OF REPRESENTATIVE) - A substantial number of employees assert that the certified or currently recognized bargaining representative is no longer their representative.
- ☐ UD-WITHDRAWAL OF UNION SHOP AUTHORITY (REMOVAL OF OBLIGATION TO PAY DUES) - Thirty percent (30%) or more of employees in a bargaining unit covered by an agreement between their employer and a labor organization desire that such authority be rescinded.
- ☐ UC-UNIT CLARIFICATION - A labor organization is currently recognized by Employer, but Petitioner seeks clarification of placement of certain employees: (Check one) ☐ In unit not previously certified, ☐ In unit previously certified in Case No. _____
- ☐ AC-AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATION - Petitioner seeks amendment of certification issued in Case No. _____
- Attach statement describing the specific amendment sought.

2. Name of Employer
AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE

Employer Representative to contact
BRYAN FRYE, PLANT MANAGER

Telephone Number
800-927-9703

3. Address(es) of Establishment(s) involved (Street and number, city, State, ZIP code)
560 MERRIMACK AVENUE, MIDDLETOWN, DE, 19709

Teletypewriter Number (Fax)
888-304-6819

4a. Type of Establishment (Factory, mine, wholesaler, etc.)

MAIL ORDER FULFILLMENT CENTER

4b. Identify principal product or service

MAIL ORDER BOOKS / ORDERS

5. Unit involved (in UC petition, describe present bargaining unit and attached description of proposed clarification.)

Included
All regular full time and part time maintenance technicians I, II, and III employed by the Employer at the location.

Excluded
Office clerical, order fulfillers, CSC, professional, managerial, guards & supervisors as defined in the Act.

6a. Number of Employees in Unit:

Present 24

Proposed (By UG/AC)

6b. Is this petition supported by 30% or more of the employees in the unit? ☒ Yes ☐ No

*Not applicable in RM, UC, and AC

(If you have checked box RC in 1 above, check and complete EITHER item 7a or 7b, whichever is applicable.)

- 7a. ☒ Request for recognition as Bargaining Representative was made on (Date) _____ Petition serves as demand and Employer declined recognition on or about (Date) _____ (If no reply received, so state.)
- 7b. ☐ Petitioner is currently recognized as Bargaining Representative and desires certification under the Act.

8. Name of Recognized or Certified Bargaining Agent (if none, so state.)

Affiliation

Address, Telephone No. and Teletypewriter No. (Fax)

Date of Recognition or Certification

9. Expiration Date of Current Contract, if any (Month, Day, Year)

10. If you have checked box UD in 1 above, show here the date of execution of agreement granting union shop (Month, Day, and Year)

11a. Is there now a strike or picketing at the Employer's establishment(s) involved? Yes _____ No ☒

11b. If so, approximately how many employees are participating?

11c. The Employer has been picketed by or on behalf of (Insert Name) _____, a labor organization, of (Insert Address) _____

Since (Month, Day, Year)

12. Organizations or individuals other than Petitioner (and other than those named in Items 8 and 11c), which have claimed recognition as representatives and other organizations and individuals known to have a representative interest in any employees in unit described in Item 5 above. (If none, so state.)

Name

Affiliation

Address

Date of Claim

Teletypewriter No. (Fax)

13. Full name of party filing petition (If labor organization, give full name, including local name and number)

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS & AEROSPACE WORKERS, AFL-CIO, DISTRICT LODGE 1

14a. Address (street and number, city, state, and ZIP code)

135 MERCHANT STREET, SUITE 265
CINCINNATI, OH 45246

14b. Telephone No.

513-772-9310

14c. Teletypewriter No. (Fax)

513-772-8596

15. Full name of national or international labor organization of which it is an affiliate or constituent unit (to be filled in when petition is filed by a labor organization)

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS & AEROSPACE WORKERS, AFL-CIO

I declare that I have read the above petition and that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Print)
JAMES D. SMITHSignature
James D. Smith

Title (if any)

GRAND LODGE REPRESENTATIVE

Address (street and number, city, state, and ZIP code)

SAME AS 14(a)

Telephone No. 513-772-9310

Teletypewriter No. (Fax) 513-772-8596

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS PETITION CAN BE PUNISHED BY FINE AND IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001)



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December 9, 2013

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AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE
560 MERRIMACK AVE.
MIDDLETOWN, DE 19709

Re: AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER
DELAWARE
Case 04-RC-118495

Dear Mr. Frye:

Enclosed is a copy of a petition that INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1 filed with the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) seeking to represent certain of your employees. This letter tells you how to contact the Board agent who will be handling this matter, explains your right to be represented, requests that you provide certain information, notifies you of a hearing, requests that you post notices, and discusses some of our procedures including how to submit documents to the NLRB.

Investigator: This petition will be investigated by Field Examiner JOANNE M. SACCHETTI whose telephone number is (215) 597-4924. The Board agent will contact you shortly to discuss processing the petition. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Board agent. If the agent is not available, you may contact Deputy Regional Attorney SCOTT C. THOMPSON whose telephone number is (215) 597-7625.

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Right to Representation: You have the right to be represented by an attorney or other representative in any proceeding before us. If you choose to be represented, your representative must notify us in writing of this fact as soon as possible by completing Form NLRB-4701, Notice of Appearance. This form is available on our website, www.nlr.gov, or at the Regional office upon your request.

If someone contacts you about representing you in this case, please be assured that no organization or person seeking your business has any "inside knowledge" or favored relationship with the NLRB. Their knowledge regarding this matter was only obtained through access to information that must be made available to any member of the public under the Freedom of Information Act.

Requested Information:

Information Needed Immediately: To process the petition in this matter, we need certain information from you. Accordingly, please submit to this office, as soon as possible, the following information:

- (a) The correct name of your organization;
- (b) A copy of any existing or recently expired collective-bargaining agreements, and any addenda or extensions, or any recognition agreements covering any of your employees in the unit involved in the petition (the petitioned-for unit);
- (c) The name and contact information for any other labor organization (union) claiming to represent any of the employees in the petitioned-for unit;
- (d) Your position as to the appropriateness of the petitioned-for unit;
- (e) A completed commerce questionnaire (form enclosed) to enable us to determine whether the NLRB has jurisdiction in this matter;
- (f) If potential voters will need notices or ballots translated into a language other than English, the names of those languages and dialects, if any; and
- (g) An alphabetized list of employees in the petitioned-for unit, with their job classifications, for the payroll period immediately before the date of this petition. This list will be used to resolve possible eligibility and unit questions as well as to determine the adequacy of the Petitioner's showing of interest. If such a list is not submitted promptly, any later submission and request for an evaluation of the Petitioner's showing of interest will be considered untimely and no check of the showing of interest will be conducted absent unusual circumstances.

Information Needed Later: If an election is agreed to or directed in this matter, the Employer must file with this office an alphabetized list of the full names and addresses of all eligible voters. We will then make the list available to all parties to the election. The list must be furnished within 7 days of the direction of, or agreement to, an election. I am advising you of this requirement now, so that you will have ample time to prepare this list.

Notice of Hearing: Enclosed is a Notice of Hearing to be conducted on December 16, 2013 if the parties do not voluntarily agree to an election. If a hearing is necessary, it is expected to run on consecutive days until concluded. The enclosed Form NLRB-4339 provides information about rescheduling the hearing. Requests for postponement of the hearing to a date more than 14 days after the petition was filed will normally not be granted absent extraordinary circumstances.

Posting Notices: The NLRB believes that employees should have information about their rights while a representation petition is pending; and employers and labor organizations should be apprised of their responsibilities to refrain from conduct which could interfere with employees' freedom of choice in an election. Accordingly, please immediately post the enclosed Notice to Employees (Form 5492) in conspicuous places in areas where employees in the

petitioned-for unit work. Additional copies of the Notice to Employees are available for posting if you need them.

Procedures: We strongly urge everyone to submit all documents and other materials (except unfair labor practice charges and representation petitions) by E-Filing (not e-mailing) through our website, www.nlr.gov. However, the NLRB will continue to accept timely filed paper documents. On all your correspondence regarding the petition, please include the case name and number indicated above.

Information about the NLRB, the procedures we follow in representation cases, and our customer service standards is available on our website, www.nlr.gov, or from an NLRB office upon your request.

We can provide assistance for persons with limited English proficiency or disability. Please let us know if you or any of your witnesses would like such assistance.

Very truly yours,

/s/ John D. Breese

JOHN D. BREESE
Acting Regional Director

Enclosures

1. Notice of Hearing
2. Notice Regarding Representation Cases (Form 4339)
3. Statement of Standard Procedures in Formal Hearings (Form 4669)
4. Commerce Questionnaire
5. Notice to Employees (Form 5492)
6. Copy of Petition

Revised 3/21/2011

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

QUESTIONNAIRE ON COMMERCE INFORMATION

Please read carefully, answer all applicable items, and return to the NLRB Office. If additional space is required, please add a page and identify item number.

CASE NAME

AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE

CASE NUMBER

04-RC-118495

1. EXACT LEGAL TITLE OF ENTITY (As filed with State and/or stated in legal documents forming entity)**2. TYPE OF ENTITY**☐ CORPORATION ☐ LLC ☐ LLP ☐ PARTNERSHIP ☐ SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP ☐ OTHER (Specify)**3. IF A CORPORATION or LLC**A. STATE OF INCORPORATION
OR FORMATION

B. NAME, ADDRESS, AND RELATIONSHIP (e.g. parent, subsidiary) OF ALL RELATED ENTITIES

4. IF AN LLC OR ANY TYPE OF PARTNERSHIP, FULL NAME AND ADDRESS OF ALL MEMBERS OR PARTNERS**5. IF A SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP, FULL NAME AND ADDRESS OF PROPRIETOR****6. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE NATURE OF YOUR OPERATIONS (Products handled or manufactured, or nature of services performed).****7. A. PRINCIPAL LOCATION:****B. BRANCH LOCATIONS:****8. NUMBER OF PEOPLE PRESENTLY EMPLOYED**

A. Total:

B. At the address involved in this matter:

9. DURING THE MOST RECENT (Check appropriate box): ☐ CALENDAR YR ☐ 12 MONTHS or ☐ FISCAL YR (FY dates)

YES NO

A. Did you **provide services** valued in excess of \$50,000 directly to customers outside your State? If no, indicate actual value.
\$B. If you answered no to 9A, did you **provide services** valued in excess of \$50,000 to customers in your State who purchased goods valued in excess of \$50,000 from directly outside your State? If no, indicate the value of any such services you provided.
\$C. If you answered no to 9A and 9B, did you **provide services** valued in excess of \$50,000 to public utilities, transit systems, newspapers, health care institutions, broadcasting stations, commercial buildings, educational institutions, or retail concerns? If less than \$50,000, indicate amount. \$D. Did you **sell goods** valued in excess of \$50,000 directly to customers located outside your State? If less than \$50,000, indicate amount. \$E. If you answered no to 9D, did you **sell goods** valued in excess of \$50,000 directly to customers located inside your State who purchased other goods valued in excess of \$50,000 from directly outside your State? If less than \$50,000, indicate amount.
\$F. Did you **purchase and receive goods** valued in excess of \$50,000 from directly outside your State? If less than \$50,000, indicate amount. \$G. Did you **purchase and receive goods** valued in excess of \$50,000 from enterprises who received the goods directly from points outside your State? If less than \$50,000, indicate amount. \$H. **Gross Revenues** from all sales or performance of services (Check the largest amount)
☐ \$100,000 ☐ \$250,000 ☐ \$500,000 ☐ \$1,000,000 or more If less than \$100,000, indicate amount.I. **Did you begin operations within the last 12 months?** If yes, specify date: _____**10 ARE YOU A MEMBER OF AN ASSOCIATION OR OTHER EMPLOYER GROUP THAT ENGAGES IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING?**☐ YES ☐ NO (If yes, name and address of association or group).**11. REPRESENTATIVE BEST QUALIFIED TO GIVE FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR OPERATIONS**

NAME

TITLE

E-MAIL ADDRESS

TEL. NUMBER

12. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE COMPLETING THIS QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME AND TITLE (Type or Print)

SIGNATURE

E-MAIL ADDRESS

DATE

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

Solicitation of the information on this form is authorized by the National Labor Relations Act (NLRA), 29 U.S.C. § 151 et seq. The principal use of the information is to assist the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) in processing representation and/or unfair labor practice proceedings and related proceedings or litigation. The routine uses for the information are fully set forth in the Federal Register, 71 Fed. Reg. 74942-43 (Dec. 13, 2006). The NLRB will further explain these uses upon request. Disclosure of this information to the NLRB is voluntary. However, failure to supply the information may cause the NLRB to refuse to process any further a representation or unfair labor practice case, or may cause the NLRB to issue you a subpoena and seek enforcement of the subpoena in federal court.



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
REGION 4



AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE Employer and INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1 Petitioner	Case 04-RC-118495
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NOTICE OF REPRESENTATION HEARING

The Petitioner filed the attached petition pursuant to Section 9(c) of the National Labor Relations Act. It appears that a question affecting commerce exists as to whether the employees in the unit described in the petition wish to be represented by a collective-bargaining representative as defined in Section 9(a) of the Act.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that, pursuant to Sections 3(b) and 9(c) of the Act, at 10:00 AM on **Monday, December 16, 2013** and on consecutive days thereafter until concluded, at the National Labor Relations Board offices located at a Hearing Room, 615 CHESTNUT ST, STE 710, PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106-4413, a hearing will be conducted before a hearing officer of the National Labor Relations Board. At the hearing, the parties will have the right to appear in person or otherwise, and give testimony. Form NLRB-4669, *Statement of Standard Procedures in Formal Hearings Held Before The National Labor Relations Board Pursuant to Petitions Filed Under Section 9 of The National Labor Relations Act*, is attached.

Dated: December 9, 2013

/s/ John D. Breese

JOHN D. BREESE
ACTING REGIONAL DIRECTOR
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
REGION 04
615 CHESTNUT ST STE 710
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106-4413

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

**AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER
DELAWARE**

Employer

and

**INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS
DISTRICT LODGE 1**

Petitioner

Case 04-RC-118495

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF: Petition dated December 6, 2013, and Notice of Representation Hearing dated December 16, 2013, with Form 4669 attached.

I, the undersigned employee of the National Labor Relations Board, being duly sworn, say that on December 9, 2013, I served the above-entitled document(s) by facsimile and regular mail upon the following persons, addressed to them at the following addresses:

JAMES D. SMITH, GRAND LODGE REPRESENTATIVE
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS &
AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1
EXECUTIVE PLAZA III
135 MERCHANT STREET, SUITE 265
CINCINNATI, OH 45246-3734

BRYAN FRYE, PLANT MANAGER
AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE
560 MERRIMACK AVE.
MIDDLETOWN, DE 19709

December 9, 2013

Date

Jane Peterson, Designated Agent of NLRB

Name

/s/ Jane Peterson

Signature

**SUMMARY OF STANDARD PROCEDURES IN FORMAL HEARINGS HELD BEFORE THE
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD PURSUANT TO PETITIONS FILED
UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT**

The hearing will be conducted before a Hearing Officer of the National Labor Relations Board. (R CASES)

Parties may be represented by an attorney or other representative and present evidence relevant to the issues. All parties appearing before this hearing who have or whose witnesses have handicaps falling within the provisions of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and 29 C.F.R. 100.603, and who in order to participate in this hearing need appropriate auxiliary aids, as defined in 29 C.F.R. 100.603, should notify the Regional Director as soon as possible and request the necessary assistance. An official reporter will make the only official transcript of the proceedings and all citations in briefs or arguments must refer to the official record. (*Copies of exhibits should be supplied to the Hearing Officer and other parties at the time the exhibit is offered in evidence.*) After the close of the hearing, one or more of the parties may wish to have corrections made in the record. All such proposed corrections, either by way of stipulation or motion, should be forwarded to the Regional Director or to the Board in Washington (*if the case is transferred to the Board*) instead of to the Hearing Officer, inasmuch as the Hearing Officer has no power to make any rulings in connection with the case after the hearing is closed. All matter that is spoken in the hearing room will be recorded by the official reporter while the hearing is in session. In the event that any party wishes to make off-the-record remarks, requests to make such remarks should be directed to the Hearing Officer and not to the official reporter.

Statements of reasons in support of motions or objections should be as concise as possible. Objections and exceptions may, on appropriate request, be permitted to stand to an entire line of questioning. Automatic exceptions will be allowed to all adverse rulings.

All motions shall be in writing or, if made at the hearing, may be stated orally on the record and shall briefly state the order of relief sought and the grounds for such motion. An original and two copies of written motions shall be filed with the Hearing Officer and a copy thereof immediately shall be served on the other parties to the proceeding.

The sole objective of the Hearing Officer is to ascertain the respective positions of the parties and to obtain a full and complete factual record on which the duties under Section 9 of the National Labor Relations Act may be discharged by the Regional Director of the Board. It may become necessary for the Hearing Officer to ask questions, to call witnesses, and to explore avenues with respect to matters not raised by the parties. The services of the Hearing Officer are equally at the disposal of all parties to the proceedings in developing the material evidence.

At the close of hearing, any party who desires to file a brief may do so in the appropriate manner described below.

1. Briefs filed with the Regional Director

Unless transfer of the case to the Board is announced prior to close of hearing, the brief should be filed in duplicate with the Regional Director. A copy must also be served on each of the other parties and proof of such service must be filed with the Regional Director at the time the briefs are filed. Briefs submitted are to be double-spaced on 8 1/2 by 11 inch paper.

The briefs shall be filed within 7 days after the close of the hearing unless an extension of time, not to exceed an additional 14 days on request made for good cause, before the hearing closes, is granted by the Hearing Officer. Briefs must be filed in accordance with the provisions of Section 102.111 (b) of the Board's Rules. Facsimile transmission of briefs is not permitted.

A request for an extension of time made after the close of the hearing must be received by the Regional Director, in writing, as much in advance of the date the briefs are due as possible and copies thereof must be served on the other parties by the same or faster method as used to file with the Regional Director (see 102.114 of Board's Rules).

2. Briefs filed with the Board in Washington, DC

a. If transfer of case to the Board is announced at the hearing

Should any party desire to file a brief with the Board, eight copies thereof shall be filed with the Board in Washington, DC. Immediately on such filing, a copy shall be served on each of the other parties. Proof of such service must be filed with the Board simultaneously with the briefs. Such brief shall be printed on otherwise legibly duplicated: Provided, however, that carbon copies of typewritten matter shall not be filed and if submitted will not be accepted. No reply brief may be filed except on special leave of the Board. Any brief filed after transfer of the case to the Board shall be double-spaced on 8 1/2 by 11 inch paper.

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b. Transfer of cases to the Board effected after close of hearing

Pursuant to Section 102.67 of the Board's Rules, the Regional Director may, at any time after the close of hearing and before decision, transfer a case to the Board for decision. The order transferring the case will fix a date for filing briefs in Washington, DC.

If a brief has already been filed with the Regional Director, the parties may file eight copies of the same brief with the Board in the same manner as set forth in "a," above, except that service on other parties is not required. No further briefs shall be submitted except by special permission of the Board.

If the case is transferred to the Board before the time expires for filing of briefs with the Regional Director and before the parties have filed briefs, such briefs shall be filed as set forth in "a," above.

c. Request for extension of time to file briefs with the Board

A request for an extension of time to file briefs with the Board in Washington, D.C., made after the close of hearing must be received by the Executive Secretary's Office in Washington as much in advance of the date the briefs are due as possible but in any event no later than the close of business on the due date. Such request must be in writing and a copy shall be served immediately on each of the other parties and the Regional Director and shall contain a statement that such service has been made.

As provided in Section 102.114(a) and (e) of the Board's Rules and Regulations, service on all parties of a request for an extension of time shall be made in the same or faster manner as that utilized in filing the paper with the Board; however, when filing with the Board is accomplished by facsimile transmission or by personal service, the other parties shall be promptly notified of such action by facsimile transmission or by telephone, followed by service of a copy personally or by overnight delivery service.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

NOTICE REGARDING REPRESENTATION CASE HEARINGS

Case 04-RC-118495

Hearing Cancellation Based on Agreement of Parties: The issuance of the Notice of Hearing in this case does not mean that the matter cannot be resolved by agreement of the parties. On the contrary, the NLRB encourages prompt voluntary adjustments. The Board agent assigned to the case will be pleased to receive and to act promptly upon your suggestions or comments to this end. An agreement between the parties, approved by me, will cancel the hearing.

Postponement of the Hearing: Postponement of the hearing *will not be granted* unless good and sufficient grounds are shown *and* the following requirements are met:

- (1) The request must be in writing and be filed with the Regional Director;
- (2) Copies of the request must be simultaneously served on all other parties, and that fact must be noted on the request;
- (3) Absent extraordinary circumstances, the request must be received no later than 24 hours before the hearing is scheduled to begin;
- (4) Requests for postponement of the hearing to a date more than 14 days after the petition was filed will normally not be granted absent extraordinary circumstances;
- (5) Grounds must be set forth in *detail*, e.g., the unavailability of counsel and all other counsel in the law firm due to previously scheduled federal court or other U.S. Agency hearings or trials;
- (6) Alternative dates for any rescheduled hearing must be given; and
- (7) The positions of all other parties regarding the postponement and alternative hearing dates must be ascertained in advance by the requesting party and set forth in the request.

Approval of a postponement request may be conditioned upon one or more of the following:

- (1) The agreement of all parties to participate at a conference to be held at the Regional Office at least one full day before the rescheduled hearing date;
- (2) Agreement by the requestor that extensions of time for filing of briefs will not be sought or granted; and/or
- (3) The requestor's execution of stipulations on matters not in dispute, e.g., jurisdiction, labor organization status, appropriate unit.

Consecutive Days of Hearing: Once opened, it is expected the hearing will continue on consecutive business days until concluded.

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Investigator: This petition will be investigated by Field Examiner JOANNE M. SACCHETTI whose telephone number is (215) 597-4924. The Board agent will contact you shortly to discuss processing the petition. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Board agent. If the agent is not available, you may contact Deputy Regional Attorney SCOTT C. THOMPSON whose telephone number is (215) 597-7625.

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Right to Representation: You have the right to be represented by an attorney or other representative in any proceeding before the NLRB. In view of our policy of processing these cases expeditiously, if you wish to be represented, you should obtain representation promptly. Your representative must notify us in writing of this fact as soon as possible by completing Form NLRB-4701, Notice of Appearance. This form is available on our website, www.nlrb.gov, or from an NLRB office upon your request.

If someone contacts you about representing you in this case, please be assured that no organization or person seeking your business has any "inside knowledge" or favored relationship with the NLRB. Their knowledge regarding this matter was obtained only through access to

information that must be made available to any member of the public under the Freedom of Information Act.

Requested Information: To process the petition in this matter, we need certain information from you. Accordingly, please submit to this office, as soon as possible, the following information:

- (a) The correct name of the Union as stated in its constitution or bylaws.
- (b) A copy of any existing or recently expired collective-bargaining agreements, and any addenda or extensions, or any recognition agreements covering any employees in the petitioned-for unit.
- (c) If potential voters will need notices or ballots translated into a language other than English, the names of those languages and dialects, if any.
- (d) The name and address of the representative to whom we should send the election eligibility list. Absent notice to the contrary, we will send the list to the addressee of this letter at the above address.
- (e) The name and contact information for any other labor organization (union) claiming to represent any of the employees in the petitioned-for unit and for any employer who may be a joint employer of the employees in the proposed unit. Failure to disclose the existence of an interested party may delay the processing of the petition.

Notice of Hearing: Enclosed is a Notice of Hearing to be conducted on **December 16, 2013** if the parties do not voluntarily agree to an election. If a hearing is necessary, it is expected to run on consecutive days until concluded. The enclosed Form NLRB-4339 provides information about rescheduling the hearing. Requests for postponement of the hearing to a date more than 14 days after the petition was filed will normally not be granted absent extraordinary circumstances.

Information for Employees: The NLRB believes that employees should have readily available information about their rights and the proper conduct of employee representation elections. Accordingly, we have asked the Employer to post a Notice to Employees, Form NLRB 5492, which explains employees' basic rights under the National Labor Relations Act. If you would like a copy of that Notice, please let the Board agent know. We have also prepared the pamphlet "Your Government Conducts an Election" which you or the Employer may distribute to employees. The pamphlet is available at www.nlr.gov/news-outreach/brochures or from our office. You may reproduce copies of the Notice and the pamphlet for distribution to employees, provided they are not modified in any way.

Procedures: We strongly urge everyone to submit all documents and other materials (except unfair labor practice charges and representation petitions) by E-Filing (not e-mailing) through our website, www.nlr.gov. However, the NLRB will continue to accept timely filed

paper documents. On all your correspondence regarding the petition, please include the case name and number indicated above.

Information about the NLRB, the procedures we follow in representation cases, and our customer service standards is available on our website, www.nlr.gov, or from an NLRB office upon your request.

We can provide assistance for persons with limited English proficiency or disability. Please let us know if you or any of your witnesses would like such assistance.

Very truly yours,

/s/ John D. Breese

JOHN D. BREESE
Acting Regional Director

Enclosures

1. Notice of Hearing
2. Form 4669
3. Form 4339



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
REGION 4



AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE Employer and INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1 Petitioner	Case 04-RC-118495
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The Petitioner filed the attached petition pursuant to Section 9(c) of the National Labor Relations Act. It appears that a question affecting commerce exists as to whether the employees in the unit described in the petition wish to be represented by a collective-bargaining representative as defined in Section 9(a) of the Act.

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Dated: December 9, 2013

/s/ John D. Breese

JOHN D. BREESE
ACTING REGIONAL DIRECTOR
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
REGION 04
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

**AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER
DELAWARE**

Employer

and

**INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS
DISTRICT LODGE 1**

Petitioner

Case 04-RC-118495

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF: Petition dated December 6, 2013, and Notice of Representation
Hearing dated December 16, 2013, with Form 4669 attached.**

I, the undersigned employee of the National Labor Relations Board, being duly sworn, say that on December 9, 2013, I served the above-entitled document(s) by facsimile and regular mail upon the following persons, addressed to them at the following addresses:

JAMES D. SMITH, GRAND LODGE REPRESENTATIVE
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS &
AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1
EXECUTIVE PLAZA III
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BRYAN FRYE, PLANT MANAGER
AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE
560 MERRIMACK AVE.
MIDDLETOWN, DE 19709

December 9, 2013

Date

Jane Peterson, Designated Agent of NLRB

Name

/s/ Jane Peterson

Signature

**SUMMARY OF STANDARD PROCEDURES IN FORMAL HEARINGS HELD BEFORE THE
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD PURSUANT TO PETITIONS FILED
UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT**

The hearing will be conducted before a Hearing Officer of the National Labor Relations Board. (R CASES)

Parties may be represented by an attorney or other representative and present evidence relevant to the issues. All parties appearing before this hearing who have or whose witnesses have handicaps falling within the provisions of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and 29 C.F.R. 100.603, and who in order to participate in this hearing need appropriate auxiliary aids, as defined in 29 C.F.R. 100.603, should notify the Regional Director as soon as possible and request the necessary assistance. An official reporter will make the only official transcript of the proceedings and all citations in briefs or arguments must refer to the official record. (*Copies of exhibits should be supplied to the Hearing Officer and other parties at the time the exhibit is offered in evidence.*) After the close of the hearing, one or more of the parties may wish to have corrections made in the record. All such proposed corrections, either by way of stipulation or motion, should be forwarded to the Regional Director or to the Board in Washington (*if the case is transferred to the Board*) instead of to the Hearing Officer, inasmuch as the Hearing Officer has no power to make any rulings in connection with the case after the hearing is closed. All matter that is spoken in the hearing room will be recorded by the official reporter while the hearing is in session. In the event that any party wishes to make off-the-record remarks, requests to make such remarks should be directed to the Hearing Officer and not to the official reporter.

Statements of reasons in support of motions or objections should be as concise as possible. Objections and exceptions may, on appropriate request, be permitted to stand to an entire line of questioning. Automatic exceptions will be allowed to all adverse rulings.

All motions shall be in writing or, if made at the hearing, may be stated orally on the record and shall briefly state the order of relief sought and the grounds for such motion. An original and two copies of written motions shall be filed with the Hearing Officer and a copy thereof immediately shall be served on the other parties to the proceeding.

The sole objective of the Hearing Officer is to ascertain the respective positions of the parties and to obtain a full and complete factual record on which the duties under Section 9 of the National Labor Relations Act may be discharged by the Regional Director of the Board. It may become necessary for the Hearing Officer to ask questions, to call witnesses, and to explore avenues with respect to matters not raised by the parties. The services of the Hearing Officer are equally at the disposal of all parties to the proceedings in developing the material evidence.

At the close of hearing, any party who desires to file a brief may do so in the appropriate manner described below.

1. Briefs filed with the Regional Director

Unless transfer of the case to the Board is announced prior to close of hearing, the brief should be filed in duplicate with the Regional Director. A copy must also be served on each of the other parties and proof of such service must be filed with the Regional Director at the time the briefs are filed. Briefs submitted are to be double-spaced on 8 1/2 by 11 inch paper.

The briefs shall be filed within 7 days after the close of the hearing unless an extension of time, not to exceed an additional 14 days on request made for good cause, before the hearing closes, is granted by the Hearing Officer. Briefs must be filed in accordance with the provisions of Section 102.111 (b) of the Board's Rules. Facsimile transmission of briefs is not permitted.

A request for an extension of time made after the close of the hearing must be received by the Regional Director, in writing, as much in advance of the date the briefs are due as possible and copies thereof must be served on the other parties by the same or faster method as used to file with the Regional Director (see 102.114 of Board's Rules).

2. Briefs filed with the Board in Washington, DC

a. If transfer of case to the Board is announced at the hearing

Should any party desire to file a brief with the Board, eight copies thereof shall be filed with the Board in Washington, DC. Immediately on such filing, a copy shall be served on each of the other parties. Proof of such service must be filed with the Board simultaneously with the briefs. Such brief shall be printed on otherwise legibly duplicated: Provided, however, that carbon copies of typewritten matter shall not be filed and if submitted will not be accepted. No reply brief may be filed except on special leave of the Board. Any brief filed after transfer of the case to the Board shall be double-spaced on 8 1/2 by 11 inch paper.

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b. Transfer of cases to the Board effected after close of hearing

Pursuant to Section 102.67 of the Board's Rules, the Regional Director may, at any time after the close of hearing and before decision, transfer a case to the Board for decision. The order transferring the case will fix a date for filing briefs in Washington, DC.

If a brief has already been filed with the Regional Director, the parties may file eight copies of the same brief with the Board in the same manner as set forth in "a," above, except that service on other parties is not required. No further briefs shall be submitted except by special permission of the Board.

If the case is transferred to the Board before the time expires for filing of briefs with the Regional Director and before the parties have filed briefs, such briefs shall be filed as set forth in "a," above.

c. Request for extension of time to file briefs with the Board

A request for an extension of time to file briefs with the Board in Washington, D.C., made after the close of hearing must be received by the Executive Secretary's Office in Washington as much in advance of the date the briefs are due as possible but in any event no later than the close of business on the due date. Such request must be in writing and a copy shall be served immediately on each of the other parties and the Regional Director and shall contain a statement that such service has been made.

As provided in Section 102.114(a) and (e) of the Board's Rules and Regulations, service on all parties of a request for an extension of time shall be made in the same or faster manner as that utilized in filing the paper with the Board; however, when filing with the Board is accomplished by facsimile transmission or by personal service, the other parties shall be promptly notified of such action by facsimile transmission or by telephone, followed by service of a copy personally or by overnight delivery service.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

NOTICE REGARDING REPRESENTATION CASE HEARINGS

Case 04-RC-118495

Hearing Cancellation Based on Agreement of Parties: The issuance of the Notice of Hearing in this case does not mean that the matter cannot be resolved by agreement of the parties. On the contrary, the NLRB encourages prompt voluntary adjustments. The Board agent assigned to the case will be pleased to receive and to act promptly upon your suggestions or comments to this end. An agreement between the parties, approved by me, will cancel the hearing.

Postponement of the Hearing: Postponement of the hearing *will not be granted* unless good and sufficient grounds are shown *and* the following requirements are met:

- (1) The request must be in writing and be filed with the Regional Director;
- (2) Copies of the request must be simultaneously served on all other parties, and that fact must be noted on the request;
- (3) Absent extraordinary circumstances, the request must be received no later than 24 hours before the hearing is scheduled to begin;
- (4) Requests for postponement of the hearing to a date more than 14 days after the petition was filed will normally not be granted absent extraordinary circumstances;
- (5) Grounds must be set forth in *detail*, e.g., the unavailability of counsel and all other counsel in the law firm due to previously scheduled federal court or other U.S. Agency hearings or trials;
- (6) Alternative dates for any rescheduled hearing must be given; and
- (7) The positions of all other parties regarding the postponement and alternative hearing dates must be ascertained in advance by the requesting party and set forth in the request.

Approval of a postponement request may be conditioned upon one or more of the following:

- (1) The agreement of all parties to participate at a conference to be held at the Regional Office at least one full day before the rescheduled hearing date;
- (2) Agreement by the requestor that extensions of time for filing of briefs will not be sought or granted; and/or
- (3) The requestor's execution of stipulations on matters not in dispute, e.g., jurisdiction, labor organization status, appropriate unit.

Consecutive Days of Hearing: Once opened, it is expected the hearing will continue on consecutive business days until concluded.

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BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
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Dated: December 9, 2013

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NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

International Association of Machinists & Aerospace Workers,
AFL-CIO, District Lodge 1

and

Amazon Fulfillment Center Delaware

CASE 4-RC-118495

☒ REGIONAL DIRECTOR

☐ EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
Washington, DC 20570

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THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ENTERS APPEARANCE AS REPRESENTATIVE OF _____
Employer, Amazon Fulfillment Center Delaware

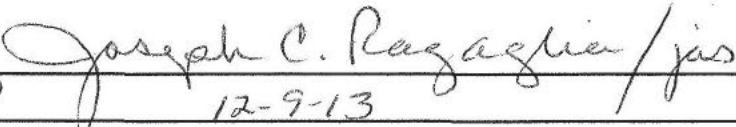
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NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

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(REPRESENTATIVE INFORMATION)

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Attached please find correspondence from Mike Lignowski.

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December 12, 2013

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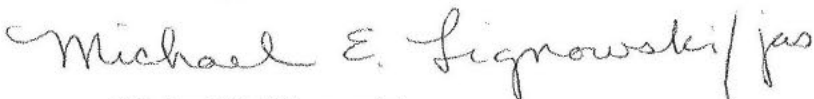
Joanne M. Sacchetti
Board Agent
National Labor Relations Board Region 4
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Seventh Floor
Philadelphia PA 19106-4404

Re: Amazon Fulfillment Center Delaware
Case 4-RC-118495

Dear Ms. Sacchetti:

Please check the showing of interest in the above-captioned matter. Enclosed is the list of eligible employees.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Michael E. Lignowski in cursive script.

Michael E. Lignowski

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Enclosure

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE

Employer

and

Case 04-RC-118495

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST
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Petitioner

REPORT ON INVESTIGATION OF INTEREST

The undersigned agent of the National Labor Relations Board has investigated the evidence of representation submitted by the Petitioner and/or labor organization(s) claiming an interest in the above case. The statistical results of this investigation are set forth below.

1. The following organizations were requested in writing on the indicated dates to submit evidence of representation, if any, but have failed to do so. <i>If none, so state.</i>				
Name and Affiliation of Labor Organization			Date of Request	
Mark either 2a or 2b, as applicable.				
2a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Designation and payroll information pertaining to the unit claimed appropriate by the labor organization listed in the first column according to a Complete XX Spot check of the Employer's payroll for the period ending <u>12/7/2013</u> .				
2b. <input type="checkbox"/> Although requested, no payroll list submitted.				
Name of Union/Petitioner (Abbreviate)	Type of Unit Claimed Appropriate	# Employees in Unit	% of names in unit on payroll list among the timely designations submitted by union. Indicate Category 1 (Less than 10%), Category 2 (10- 29.9%), or 3 (30% or above). If interest is based on contract, so state.	
A INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1	Maintenance technicians I, II, III	30	Union A/Petitioner Category <u>3</u> Designations are current: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
B			Union B Category _____ Designations are current: Yes _____ No _____	
C			Union C Category _____ Designations are current: Yes _____ No _____	
3. Unit(s), different from those set forth above, the Employer contends appropriate.				
Type of Unit Claimed Appropriate	# Employees in Unit	Union A	Union B	Union C
		Category:	Category:	Category:

Date: 12/12/13 Agent Name: /s/ Joanne M. Sacchetti

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
Dennis P. Walsh
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National Labor Relations Board Region 4
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7th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19106

Re: Amazon Fulfillment Center Delaware
Case 4-RC-118495

Dear Mr. Walsh:

Please allow this letter to serve as a request for a postponement of the hearing in the above-captioned matter, currently scheduled for Monday, December 16, 2013, until Tuesday, December 17, 2013. The reason for this request is that we have just been asked to represent Amazon in this matter, and both Joe Ragaglia and I have existing client conflicts on December 16. I have spoken with IAM Union Representative Ed Kuss, and he has no objection to this request. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Michael E. Lignowski 

Michael E. Lignowski

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c: Joanne M. Sacchetti (via Telecopier)
Ed Kuss, IAM (via Telecopier)

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AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE

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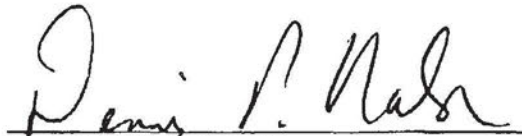
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Petitioner

ORDER RESCHEDULING HEARING

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the hearing in the above-entitled matter is rescheduled from Monday, December 16, 2013 to Tuesday, December 17, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. in the Regional Office, 615 Chestnut Street, Suite 710, Philadelphia, PA. The hearing will continue on consecutive days until concluded.

Dated: December 12, 2013

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dennis P. Walsh", is written over a horizontal line.

DENNIS P. WALSH

Regional Director, Fourth Region
National Labor Relations Board
615 Chestnut Street, Suite 710
Philadelphia, PA 19106-4413

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
FOURTH REGION**

AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE

Employer

and

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST
AND AEROSPACE WORKERS, DISTRICT LODGE 1

Petitioner

Case 4-RC-118495

Date of Mailing: December 12, 2013

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF: ORDER RESCHEDULING HEARING

I, the undersigned employee of the National Labor Relations Board, being duly sworn, depose and say that on the date indicated above I served the above-entitled document by post-paid first class mail upon the following persons, addressed to them at the following addresses:

MICHAEL E. LIGNOWSKI, ESQUIRE
JOSEPH C. RAGAGLIA, ESQUIRE
MORGAN LEWIS & BOCKIUS, LLP
1701 MARKET STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103-2921

JAMES D. SMITH, GRAND LODGE REPRESENTATIVE
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS &
AEROSPACE WORKERS, DISTRICT LODGE 1
EXECUTIVE PLAZA III
135 MERCHANT STREET, SUITE 265
CINCINNATI, OH 45246-9310

BRYAN FRYE, PLANT MANAGER
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560 MERRIMACK AVENUE
MIDDLETOWN, DE 19709

EDWARD KUSS, TERRITORY ORGANIZING LEADER
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this

27th day of December, 2013

Designated Agent

/s/ Rita M. Messina

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
STIPULATED ELECTION AGREEMENT

**AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC,
A SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.**

Case 04-RC-118495

The parties **AGREE AS FOLLOWS:**

1. PROCEDURAL MATTERS. The parties waive their right to a hearing and agree that any notice of hearing previously issued in this matter is withdrawn, that the petition is amended to conform to this Agreement, and that the record of this case shall include this Agreement and be governed by the Board's Rules and Regulations.

2. COMMERCE. The Employer is engaged in commerce within the meaning of Section 2(6) and (7) of the National Labor Relations Act and a question affecting commerce has arisen concerning the representation of employees within the meaning of Section 9(c).

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*EAM Administrator
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(Name) (Date)

Michael E. Liguowski
Attorney for Employer

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By _____
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Recommended: Joanne M. Sacchetti
JOANNE M. SACCHETTI, Field Examiner
(Date) 12-17-13

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Date approved: 12/17/13

John D. Buer
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Form NLRB-852

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NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
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(Employer)

/s/ Michael E. Lignowski 12/16/13

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JOANNE M. SACCHETTI, Field Examiner
(Date) 12/17/13

By _____
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Date approved: 12/17/13

/s/ John D. Breese

**Acting Regional Director, Region 04
National Labor Relations Board**

ELECTION ORDER SHEET

1. CASE NAME AMAZON FULFILLMENT CENTER DELAWARE		2. CASE NUMBER 04-RC-118495	
3. BOARD AGENT JOANNE M. SACCHETTI		4. DATE 12/17/2013	
5. ALL ELECTIONS: BASIS FOR ELECTION: Stip SPECIAL ELIGIBILITY FORMULA, e.g. Daniel? No MAIL BALLOTS? No SELF-DETERMINATION ELECTION: No ARRANGEMENTS FOR DISCRIMINATEES TO VOTE NECESSARY?: No STRIKE IN PROGRESS? No EXPEDITED ELECTION pursuant to 8(b)(7)? No			
Date of Election		No. of Polling Places	
1/15/14		1	
Time and Place (Polling Area, Address, City & State) Time(s): 1:00 P.M to 2:30 P.M. & 8:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M. Place: IT Conference Room at Er's facility			
IF MORE THAN ONE POLL, WHERE WILL COUNT TAKE PLACE?			
6. PAYROLL PERIOD ENDING December 14, 2013		7. UNIT: AS SET FORTH IN Stip	
8. BALLOTS: 40 Approx. number in unit: 30 Number challenges expected: 0		8A. FOREIGN LANGUAGE BALLOT(S): NECESSARY NO Language(s)	
ORDER IN WHICH NAMES ARE TO APPEAR ON BALLOT WHERE MORE THAN ONE UNION IS INVOLVED (Note - Refer to Direction of Election or Agreement of parties for actual wording of names on ballots or notices of election)			
(1) INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1	(2)	(3)	(4)
9. NOTICES: To be received by - to ensure posting by EMPLOYER (MIDNIGHT) 3 FULL WORKING DAYS before election Date to Send Notices: 1/6/14		9A. FOREIGN LANGUAGE NOTICE(S) NECESSARY? No IF YES, LANGUAGE(S): IF YES, ARE FURTHER ARRANGEMENTS NECESSARY TO ENSURE APPROPRIATE RESPONSES CAN BE MADE TO TELEPHONE INQUIRIES?	
SEND LETTER REQUESTING EXCELSIOR LIST TO: Employer and Lignowski			
NUMBER OF NOTICES TO SEND FOR EMPLOYER'S FACILITY: 10			
SEND NOTICES FOR EMPLOYER'S FACILITY TO: Bryan Frye, Plant Manager, 560 Merrimack Ave., Middletown, DE			
SEND MORE THAN ONE COPY OF NOTICE TO UNION OR PETITIONER OR THEIR REPS? Send to both Union reps on Service Sheet. If yes, who and how many?			
10. ELECTION AGREEMENT: Send a conformed copy of stip (with RD signature) to any party? YES If yes, who? All Parties on Service Sheet			
11. ELIGIBILITY LIST: (Excelsior Requirement) ARE SEPARATE ELIGIBILITY LISTS NEEDED FOR POLLS THAT ARE OPEN SIMULTANEOUSLY? No EMPLOYER HAS AGREED TO FURNISH LIST PRIOR TO 7 TH DAY _____ DATE DUE _____ DATE RECEIVED _____ LIST IN FILE EMPLOYER REFUSES TO FURNISH LIST; UNION WANTS TO PROCEED WITHOUT LIST . OTHER (EXPLAIN) LIST TO PETITIONER (Check Choice): MAIL ___ FAX <u>XX</u> WILL PICK UP ___ EMAIL and MAIL or FAX ___ LIST TO UNION (Check Choice): MAIL ___ FAX ___ WILL PICK UP ___ EMAIL and MAIL or FAX ___ LIST TO INTERVENOR (Check Choice): MAIL ___ FAX ___ WILL PICK UP ___ EMAIL and MAIL or FAX ___			

12. OTHER PENDING CASES HAVE BEEN CHECKED FOR BEARING ON THIS CASE YES

(Initials of Board Agent) _____ jms

IS "C" CASE PENDING? NO IF YES, HAS REQUEST TO PROCEED BEEN SECURED? _____

13. VOTING ARRANGEMENTS (Check)

RELEASING: By Observers: _____ By Board Agent(s): _____ By Supervisors: _____ Self-releasing: X By Intercom: _____

VOTING WILL TAKE PLACE: According to a Schedule _____ During Working Hours _____

On Employees' Own Time _____ Other (Specify) _____

IS THIS A LARGE OR COMPLEX ELECTION? _____ IF YES, IS VOTER IDENTIFICATION NECESSARY? _____

CHOOSE NOTICE LANGUAGE FROM CHOICES BELOW: 1.

1. **EMPLOYEES ARE FREE TO VOTE AT ANY TIME THE POLLS ARE OPEN.**
2. YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED AT THE TIME WHEN YOU MAY GO TO VOTE.
3. IF YOU WISH, YOU MAY VOTE ON YOUR OWN TIME WHILE THE POLLS ARE OPEN.
4. YOU MAY VOTE ON EMPLOYER TIME IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ATTACHED VOTING SCHEDULE.
5. ALL BALLOTS WILL BE MINGLED AND COUNTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE LAST VOTING SESSION.

14. PRE-ELECTION CONFERENCE? **30 minutes prior to the opening of each polling session at polling location.**
(Place, Date and Time)

15. EQUIPMENT

QUANTITY FURNISHED BY

_____ BOOTHES _____ Board

_____ CHAIRS _____ Employer

_____ TABLES _____ Employer

_____ BALLOT BOXES _____ Board

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT (Specify): _____

16. NAME AND PHONE NUMBER OF EMPLOYER ATTORNEY OR, IF NONE, AUTHORITATIVE COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE **Employer's Legal Rep: MICHAEL E. LIGNOWSKI (215)963-5455**

17. OBSERVERS: Number of Observers for each party **1 for each**

18. MAIL BALLOT ELECTIONS OR MIXED MANUAL-MAIL ELECTION

WILL EMPLOYER PROVIDE MAILING LABELS? [Yes or No]

DATE MB KITS TO BE SENT TO EMPLOYEES: _____ (NOTIFY PARTIES AT LEAST 11 DAYS PRIOR)

DATE TO NOTIFY RO IF NOT RECEIVED: _____

DATE TO BE COUNTED _____ TIME & PLACE TO BE COUNTED _____

19. REMARKS: (INCLUDE DIRECTIONS TO FACILITY, IF AVAILABLE, AND ANY SPECIAL ELECTION OR UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES. COMMUNICATE ANY CHANGES IN THESE ARRANGEMENTS TO REGIONAL MANAGER AND ELECTION CLERK.)



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

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December 18, 2013

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Re: AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A
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Case 04-RC-118495

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of the election agreement the Acting Regional Director approved in this case. This letter will provide you with additional information about the election eligibility list, posting the election notices, and the agreed-upon election arrangements.

Election Eligibility List

It is longstanding Board policy that all parties to the election should have access to a list of voters and their addresses which may be used to communicate with them. In accordance with the terms of the election agreement, the Employer must file with me an election eligibility list, containing the **full** names and **complete** addresses (including postal zip codes) of all the eligible voters who were on the Employer's payroll for the period ending December 14, 2013.

The list must be of sufficiently large type to be clearly legible, and the names should be alphabetized. I will make this list available to all parties to the election.

To be timely filed, the list must be received in this office on or before **Tuesday, December 24, 2013**. No extension of time to file this list may be granted except in extraordinary circumstances. Failure by the Employer to comply with this requirement is grounds for setting aside the election if proper objections are filed.

Electronic filing of the list through the Agency website is preferred but not required. To file electronically, go to **www.nlr.gov**, click on **E-File Documents**, enter the **NLRB case number**, and follow the detailed instructions. The list also may be submitted to our office by fax to (215)597-7658 or by regular mail to the address above. The burden of establishing the timely filing and receipt of the list is on the sending party.

Election Arrangements

The arrangements for the election in this matter are as follows:

Date of Election: Wednesday, January 15, 2014

Time: 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM and 8:00 PM to 9:30 PM

Place: The IT Conference Room at the Employer's
560 Merrimack Avenue, Middletown, Delaware facility.

Election Observers: Each party may have one observer for each polling session. The observers may be present at the polling place during the balloting and to assist the Board agent in counting the ballots after the polls have been closed. **Please complete the enclosed Designation of Observer form and return it to this office as soon as possible.**

Pre-Election Conference: Pre-election conferences for all parties will be held on Wednesday, January 15, 2014 at 12:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. at the polling place. The parties are requested to have their election observers present at this conference so that the observers may receive instruction from the Board Agent about their duties.

Election Equipment: The Board agent conducting the election will furnish the ballot box, ballots, and voting booths. The Employer is requested to provide, at the polling place, a table and a sufficient number of chairs for use by the Board agent and observers during the election.

Posting of Election Notices

Election notices will soon be mailed to the parties. Section 103.20 of the Board's Rules and Regulations requires the Employer to timely post copies of the Board's official Notice of Election in conspicuous places. In this case, the notices must be posted **before 12:01 a.m. on Friday, January 10, 2014**. If the Employer does not receive copies of the notice by January 8, 2013, it should notify the Regional Office immediately. Pursuant to Section 103.20(c), a failure to do so precludes an employer from filing objections based on nonposting of the election notice.

To make it administratively possible to have election notices and ballots in a language other than English, please notify the Board agent immediately if that is necessary for this election. Also, as noted in paragraph 9 of the stipulated election agreement, if special

accommodations are required for any voters, potential voters, or election participants to vote or reach the voting area, please tell the Board agent as soon as possible.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Field Examiner JOANNE M. SACCHETTI at telephone number (215)597-4924 or by email at joanne.sacchetti@nrlb.gov. The cooperation of all parties is sincerely appreciated.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Dennis P. Walsh

DENNIS P. WALSH
Regional Director

Enclosures

1. Approved Election Agreement
2. Designation of Observer Form

cc: EDWARD KUSS
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AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1
135 MERCHANT ST STE 265
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DESIGNATION OF OBSERVER(S)

Re: AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A
SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.
Case 04-RC-118495

AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC. hereby designates the individual listed below to act as its observer during the election in the above case.

Observer's Name	Observer's Job Title
1.	

I certify that each of the above-named individuals is an employee of the Employer and is not a supervisor within the meaning of Section 2(11) of the Act.

AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A SUBSIDIARY OF
AMAZON.COM, INC.

(Name of Party)

By:

(Signature)

(Representative Name: Print or Type)

(Representative Title)

(Date)

Note: The use of a supervisor as an observer may result in setting aside the election. Section 2(11) of the National Labor Relations Act states: "The term 'supervisor' means any individual having authority, in the interest of the employer, to hire, transfer, suspend, lay off, recall, promote, discharge, assign, reward, or discipline other employees, or responsibly to direct them, or to adjust their grievances, or effectively to recommend such action, if in connection with the foregoing the exercise of such authority is not of a merely routine or clerical nature, but requires the use of independent judgment."

DESIGNATION OF OBSERVER(S)

Re: AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A
SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.
Case 04-RC-118495

PETITIONER INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1 hereby designates the individual listed below to act as its observer during the election in the above case.

Observer's Name	Observer's Job Title
1.	

I certify that each of the above-named individuals is an employee of the Employer and is not a supervisor within the meaning of Section 2(11) of the Act.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND
AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1

(Name of Party)

By:

(Signature)

(Representative Name: Print or Type)

(Representative Title)

(Date)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
REGION 4

615 Chestnut St Ste 710
Philadelphia, PA 19106-4413

FAX NO.: (215)597-7658

FAX TRANSMISSION COVER SHEET

DATE: DECEMBER 24, 2013

TO: JAMES D. SMITH, GRAND LODGE REP
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINISTS & AEROSPACE WORKERS
DISTRICT LODGE 1

Fax: (513)772-8596

FROM: JOANNE M. SACCHETTI, FIELD EXAMINER
Telephone: (215)597-4924

NUMBER OF PAGES INCLUDING THIS PAGE: 3

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RE: AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.
Case **04-RC-118495**

Attached is EXCELSIOR LIST

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

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December 24, 2013

JAMES D. SMITH
GRAND LODGE REPRESENTATIVE
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE
WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1
135 MERCHANT STREET
CINCINNATI, OH 45246-3734
By fax 513-772-8596

EDWARD KUSS
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE
WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1
135 MERCHANT ST STE 265
CINCINNATI, OH 45246-3734
By email ekuss@iamawl.org

Re: AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A
SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.
Case 04-RC-118495

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is the eligibility list the Employer furnished in connection with the scheduled election in this matter. Please review the list promptly and advise this office as soon as possible, but in any event before the pre-election conference, if you believe any names have been omitted or if you have any questions about the inclusion of any individuals on the list.

At the election, the only copy of the eligibility list that may be used is the one provided by the Board agent. Your observers will not be permitted to have the enclosed list at the checking table during the election.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Dennis P. Walsh

DENNIS P. WALSH
Regional Director

Enclosure



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January 2, 2014

BRYAN FRYE, PLANT MANAGER
AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC,
A SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.
560 MERRIMACK AVE.
MIDDLETOWN, DE 19709

Re: AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A
SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.
Case 04-RC-118495

Dear Mr. Frye:

Enclosed are the Notices of Election in the above matter. Each Notice consists of three "8 ½" by 14" panels which are labeled "Panel 1 of 3", "Panel 2 of 3" and "Panel 3 of 3" at the bottom. The three panels should be treated as one "25 ½" by 14" document, with the panel labeled "Panel 1 of 3" posted first on the left, "Panel 2 of 3" in the middle, and "Panel 3 of 3" on the right. Please post them on bulletin boards and other conspicuous places in areas where the employees in the bargaining unit work. To help avoid an issue about the adequacy of the posting period, **the notices should be posted immediately upon receipt.**

Notice Posting Requirement

Section 103.20 of the Board's Rules and Regulations requires employers to post the Board's official Notice of Election in conspicuous places at least 3 working days, not including Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, prior to 12:01 a.m. of the day of the election. **Therefore, the enclosed notices must be posted prior to 12:01 a.m. on January 10, 2014.** Failure to comply with this posting requirement is grounds for setting the election aside whenever proper and timely objections are filed.

Section 103.20 also provides that an employer is conclusively deemed to have received copies of the election notice for posting unless it notifies the Regional Office at least 5 working days prior to the commencement of the election that it has not received copies of the election notice. Failure to do so within that time period precludes an employer from filing objections based on the nonposting of the election notice.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Dennis P. Walsh

DENNIS P. WALSH
Regional Director

Enclosures: 6 Notices

cc: JAMES D. SMITH
GRAND LODGE REPRESENTATIVE
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VOTING UNIT 04-RC-118495

EMPLOYEES ELIGIBLE TO VOTE:

Those eligible to vote are: All full time and regular part time Facilities Technicians I, Facilities Technicians II, Facilities Technicians III, Control Systems Specialist (CSS), and EAM Administrator employees employed by the Employer at its 560 Merrimack Avenue, Middletown, Delaware facility who were employed during the payroll period ending December 14, 2013.

EMPLOYEES NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE:



Those not eligible to vote are: All other employees, seasonal and temporary employees, guards and supervisors as defined in the Act.

DATE, TIME AND PLACE OF ELECTION

Wednesday, January 15, 2014	1:00 PM to 2:30 PM and 8:00 PM to 9:30 PM	The IT Conference Room at the Employer's 560 Merrimack Avenue, Middletown, Delaware facility.
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EMPLOYEES ARE FREE TO VOTE AT ANY TIME THE POLLS ARE OPEN.

**ALL BALLOTS WILL BE MINGLED AND COUNTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE
CONCLUSION OF THE LAST VOTING SESSION.**

	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA National Labor Relations Board 04-RC-118495	
OFFICIAL SECRET BALLOT For certain employees of AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A SUBSIDIARY OF AMAZON.COM, INC.		
Do you wish to be represented for purposes of collective bargaining by INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINIST AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1?		
MARK AN "X" IN THE SQUARE OF YOUR CHOICE		
YES <input type="checkbox"/>		NO <input type="checkbox"/>
DO NOT SIGN THIS BALLOT. Fold and drop in the ballot box. If you spoil this ballot, return it to the Board Agent for a new one. <small>The National Labor Relations Board does not endorse any choice in this election. Any markings that you may see on any sample ballot have not been put there by the National Labor Relations Board.</small>		

Date Filed

Case No. 04-RC-118495

12/06/2013

AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC,
a subsidiary of AMAZON.COM, INC.

Employer

and

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINISTS AND AEROSPACE
WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 1

Petitioner

Date Issued 01/15/2014

Date Issued 01/15/2014

City Middletown,

State DE

Type of Election:
(Check one:)

(If applicable check either or both:)

☒ Stipulation

☐ 8(b) (7)

☐ Board Direction☐ Mail Ballot☐ Consent Agreement☐ RD Direction
Incumbent Union (Code)

TALLY OF BALLOTS

The undersigned agent of the Regional Director certifies that the results of tabulation of ballots ^{cast}~~case~~ in the election held in the above case, and concluded on the date indicated above, were as follows:

1. Approximate number of eligible voters _____ 30

2. Number of Void ballots

3. Number of Votes cast for Petitioner

4. Number of Votes cast for _____

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

6. Number of Votes cast against participating labor organization(s)

7 Number of Valid votes counted (sum 3, 4, 5, and 6) _____

8. Number of challenged ballots _____

9. Number of Valid votes counted plus challenged ballots (sum of 7 and 8) _____

10. Challenges are (not) sufficient in number to affect the results of the election.

11. A majority of the valid votes counted plus challenged ballots (Item 9) has (not) been cast for Petitioner

For the Regional Director

The undersigned acted as authorized observers in the counting and tabulating of ballots indicated above. We hereby certify that the counting and tabulating were fairly and accurately done, that the secrecy of the ballots was maintained, and that the results were as indicated above. We also acknowledge service of this tally.

For Employer

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

For Petitioner

For

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD
REGION 4**

**AMAZON.COM.DEDC, LLC, A SUBSIDIARY OF
AMAZON.COM, INC.**

Employer

and

Case 04-RC-118495

**INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
MACHINISTS AND AEROSPACE WORKERS
DISTRICT LODGE 1**

Petitioner

TYPE OF ELECTION: STIPULATED

CERTIFICATION OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

An election has been conducted under the Board's Rules and Regulations. The Tally of Ballots shows that a collective-bargaining representative has not been selected. No timely objections have been filed.

As authorized by the National Labor Relations Board,

It is certified that a majority of the valid ballots have not been cast for any labor organization and that no labor organization is the exclusive representative of the employees in the bargaining unit described below.

INCLUDED: All full time and regular part time Facilities Technicians I, Facilities Technicians II, Facilities Technicians III, Control Systems Specialist (CSS), and EAM Administrator employees employed by the Employer at its 560 Merrimack Avenue, Middletown, Delaware facility.

EXCLUDED: All other employees, seasonal and temporary employees, guards and supervisors as defined in the Act.



January 27, 2014

DENNIS P. WALSH
Regional Director, Region 4
National Labor Relations Board